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FRENCH ARE READY.

Squadron Is Notified to Hold Itself in Readiness to Leave.

Renewed Agitation Among Mussulmans Within the City and Fears Are Expressed of an Attack on Christians—Porte Claims It Can Control the Situation.

London, Sept. 11.—"Europe is standing on the edge of a precipice said a diplomat today who is participating in the international negotiations in connection with the Balkan question, and no one can tell but that tomorrow may see Turkey and Bulgaria plunged in war despite of the efforts made to prevent it, and though the powers separately have made strong representations to Bulgaria to desist from aiding the insurgents and are on the eve of making a joint demand for the observance of a policy of strict neutrality. In the meantime Turkey is becoming encouraged by the attitude of the powers towards Bulgaria and there is a strong feeling among the Mohammedans that the opportunity is at hand to take summary vengeance on the Bulgarian people. The porte has been warned against engaging in war. The only encouraging sign in the situation is the understanding between the powers all of which we are sure, are upholding Russia and Austria in their efforts to maintain peace."

All the advisers, official and otherwise received here agree in saying that the Turkish government is now receiving order at Beirut and that the porte appreciates the necessity for taking action in the matter, as shown by the removal of the wali of Beirut as demanded by United States Minister Leshman.

So far as can be learned though the powers are prepared to send ships at moments notice to Salonica in compliance with the reported request of the consults no orders for warships to sail has yet been issued. No confirmation has been obtained of the report published by Die Zeit of Vienna today that Turkish troops have been ordered to cross the Bulgarian frontier of eastern Roumania on the coming full moon nights, in order to surround the insurgent bands of Adrianople, but it would not be surprising if, in spite of orders to the contrary, Turkish troops pursuing insurgent bands should cross the frontier, and this would precipitate conflict between the Turks and Bulgarians.

Renewed Agitation.
Paris, Sept. 11.—Reports received by the foreign office here from Constantinople say there is renewed agitation among the Mussulmans within the city and fears are expressed of a possible Mussulman attack on the Christian population. This agitation followed the appearance in the Turkish papers of accounts of the Bulgarians dynamiting trains and blowing up the steamboat Vaskapu. The government considered that official sanction of the publication of the news was the best means to avoid exaggerated stories of the explosions.

As the government had vigorously suppressed any mention of explosion during the past twenty years, the recent publications caused widespread agitation. The official report says the Mussulmans are eager to avenge the outrages and state that the feeling is so intense that if the Bulgarians commit any further destruction, the Mussulmans are likely to redress by attacking the Christian population. Earnest representations on the subject

have been made to the porte, which has given assurances that all precautions will be taken and has reiterated its confidence that it will be able to control the situation.

ADMIRAL

Has Received Orders to Hold French Warships in Readiness.

Paris, Sept. 11.—The commander of the French Mediterranean squadron at Toulon, has received orders to hold in readiness to leave on the event of a naval division consisting of the battleship Brennus, the armored cruiser Latouche Treville, the second class cruiser Du Chayla, and the third class cruiser Linois, under the command of Admiral Jauréguiberry.

INSURGENTS

Attacked by Two Thousand Turkish Troops and Repulsed.

Constantinople Sept. 11.—An official dispatch received here announces that the imperial troops recaptured Vasilko on the Black Sea, on Sunday last, after the insurgent forces occupied the place had been attacked by 2,000 Turkish troops with two cannon. The release of Abdul Kado, the naturalized citizen of the United States from imprisonment from Tripoli, and the dismissal of Reshid Pasha, the wali of Beirut are taken to indicate that the granting of the demands of Minister Leshman will not long be delayed.

The American consul at Beirut reports that the situation there is improving thanks to the confidence inspired by Nazim Pasha, who has succeeded Reshid Pasha. Rumors of fresh outrages continue to reach here but these reports are deliberately spread with the object of creating the impression that the present situation at Beirut was provoked by the arrival there of the U. S. warships. As a matter of fact, a disturbed state of affairs is chronic at Beirut. Insurgency has prevailed there for months practically throughout Reshid Pasha's tenure of office. The present grand vizier six months ago asked the Sultan to remove Reshid Pasha but the latter's supporters at the palace were too powerful. Reshid Pasha is alleged to have made a large fortune by corrupt administration. He owns extensive property in Cyprus.

A fresh engagement occurred at Kilsura, Albania, Sept. 6th. A strong band of insurgents attacked the Turks who were occupying the town. Reinforcements were speedily sent to Kilsura and the insurgents were repulsed after a sharp fight. Both sides lost heavily.

A consular report from Salonica says 300 insurgents at Zelenitz, district of Kastoria, who surrendered after they had been surrounded, were massacred by Turkish soldiers. The Hamidieh (Kurdish) cavalry regiment was called back as it was starting for Adrianople. It is believed this was due to a protest against the employment of Asiatic troops made by one of the embassies.

IRISH FUGITIVE GRANTED WRIT.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 11.—Judge Francis E. Baker of the United States circuit court this morning sustained the petition for a writ of habeas corpus, filed by the attorneys for James Lynchhaun, the Irish fugitive, arrested here. The court granted the petition on the ground that United States Marshal Pettit cannot make an arrest here on a warrant issued in New York.

He said the prisoner had a right to be tried where captured. This decision

this morning to have Lynchhaun released. The British legal representative at New York made application in court this morning to have Lynchhaun re-arrested on a warrant sworn out in Indianapolis in order that the proceedings may go as originally planned.

Judge Baker placed the warrant in the hands of Marshal Pettit, who was instructed to re-arrest Lynchhaun, and hold him for hearing before the United States Commissioner Moore. By mutual agreement, the hearing was fixed for next Wednesday morning.

FOR KILLING HIS AUNT.

New York, Sept. 11.—The police of Long Island City believe that they have in their custody Charles Adams accused of the murder of Mrs. Mary Rogers at Philadelphia in June, 1897. He is said to be known in various cities under the name of Charles

Adams and Frank Adams. Adams is wanted on the charge of having killed his aunt Mrs. Mary Rogers, on about June 20, 1897, by beating her over the head with some form of blunt instrument because she refused to accede to his demands for money.

OFFICERS OF THIS COUNTRY

Occupying Positions in Philippines Arrested for Appropriating Funds.

Manila, Sept. 1.—6:30 p. m.—Customs Inspector Thomas P. Coates and Lieutenant Osborne, constabulary supply officers, both stationed at San Francisco, who were arrested recently on the charge of misappropriating government funds have been tried and convicted. Lieutenant Osborne has

been sentenced to ten years, and Inspector Coates to eight years imprisonment. Dean Tompkins, treasurer of the province of La Union, has also been convicted of forgery, but sentence has been reserved. The minimum penalty for the crime is imprisonment for twelve years.

THERE'S NOTHING TO ARBITRATE.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 11.—The appointment of a British-American boundary commission to determine the boundary lines off the coast of Borneo, separating the possessions in those waters, of the islands belonging to the two countries, may be the eventual solution of the inquiry which the London government has addressed to the state department as to the sovereignty of certain of these islands. The communication received from the British charge d'affaires regarding the control of these islands, which have frequently been a resort for pirates is still under consideration at the state department and Acting Secretary Ade will consult with the secretary of the navy before replying.

So far as can be learned, there is nothing in the controversy over these islands which will call for arbitration. A Very Strong Word.

London, Sept. 11.—With reference to the representations made to Washington by the British charge d'affaires, Mr. Raikes, regarding the seizure of two or three islands off the northeast coast of Borneo by the United States gunboat Quilos, a foreign office official said today:

"The case seems quite simple. The Americans seized the islands, which they claim were Spanish. We believe them to be British. 'Protest' is a very strong word to use in connection with our comments upon the subject."

BELIEVES IT WILL NOT BE

Long Before Twelve Different Presbyterian Churches Will Be United.

Denver, Colo., Sept. 11.—Rev Dr R. F. Coyle, moderator of the assembly of the Presbyterian church, who has just returned to his home in this city from a lecture tour in the east, believes that the time is not far distant when the twelve different Presbyterian churches in the United States will become one. This probability, he says, is one of the reconstruction of the creed of his denomination which took place last May. Calvinistic and Armenian lines which have so long kept his and the Cumberland Presbyterian churches separated, have now he says, been effaced, and

at present no distinctions other than ceremonial separate the two great religious orders that began as one in the days of Cromwell.

With intellectual developments many solid distinctions that tend to keep church separate will be obliterated.

"Our church now has an educational committee and upon it has been imposed the duty of raising \$12,000,000 for educational purposes. Most of this money will be spent upon schools in the west for our institutions of learning in the east are in good shape financially."

WILL BREAK SOME RECORDS.

Strong Array of Athletes Gathered to Make New Records for World.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 11.—The senior national championships of the amateur athletics began this afternoon, bringing together, the greatest athletic meet in the country, and a sharp contest for first honors is expected. Among the clubs represented are New York Athletic Club, the Greater New York Irish A. A., Chicago University, First Regiment A. A., Central Y. M. C. A. Chicago, the Milwaukee Athletic club, and others. The sloppy track of yesterday has been well worked, and it is expected will be in excellent condition by two p. m., when the events are scheduled to begin.

Archibald Hahn, of the Milwaukee A. C., is pitted against Moulton, of the N. Y. A. C., in the 100 yards dash, and is expected to land the prize. These same men with others are also on the card for the 200 yards dash and a good race is anticipated. The 440 yard run

brings out Holson, of Montreal, with Hillman and Moulton, of the New York A. C. and Smith and Barrett of the First Regiment A. A. Smith is looked upon as about the fastest quarter miler in the country. Uffendell and Barrett are the hopes of the Chicago University in the half mile run while in the one mile and two mile McCachron of the Milwaukee A. C., Alex. Grant, N. Y. A. C., James Lightbody, University of Chicago, and F. A. Rowe and I. K. Stone, First Regiment A. A., all look good. The running broad jump will bring out Princeton, of the Greater New York I. A. A., and Knox and Heule, of the Milwaukee A. C. These men with Bockman, of the Milwaukee A. C., will come together in the hurdles.

The weight throwing will bring out some good ones, including J. S. Mitchell, N. Y. A. C., Maxwell and Harrick, University of Chicago, and Madcock and Kirby, of First Regiment A. A.

EVERYTHING IS COMPLETE

For Presidents Trip to Battlefield of Antietam to Dedicate Monument.

Oyster Bay, L. I., Sept. 11.—Arrangements for President Roosevelt's trip to the battlefield of Antietam next Thursday are about completed. The presidential party accompanying Governor Murphy and other prominent officials of New Jersey will arrive at the battlefield about 9 o'clock in the morning. The ceremonies incident to the dedication of the monument erected to the memory of the New Jersey soldiers will take place soon afterward. These will include addresses by President Roosevelt and Governor Murphy, and music by a band. The return trip of the presidential party will be made early in the afternoon of Thursday.

No formal callers were received by the president today.

REPORT WAS FALSE.

New York, Sept. 11.—A report that the Colonial express on the New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R. had been wrecked near Providence, is denied at the general offices of the railroad here. It was stated that the report probably originated from a local wreck on another division.

CHOLERA IN SYRIA.

Constantinople, Sept. 11.—Cholera is reported to be raging fiercely at Birejik, Syria.

OFFICIALS WERE DITCHED

Special Train Overturned by Washout, and Trainmaster Was Pinned Under Car.

Kirkville, Mo., Sept. 11.—General Manager W. G. Brimmon and Supt. W. J. Stoneburner, of the Iowa and St. Louis R. R., have arrived in Kirkville, after an exciting experience, a few miles north of Novinger, Mo., where Mr. Brimmon's special train overturned. The tracks were under several feet of water which caused the train to be carried from the road bed. Trainmaster Godfrey Warren was pinned beneath the engine, and only rescued after several hours hard work. His condition is serious. He was taken to Novinger, where several doctors are in consultation on his case.

NEW JERSEY IN THE LEAD.

Her Gunners Made a Total of 350 Out of a Possible 400.

Sea Girt, N. J., Sept. 11.—At the conclusion of the firing of the 299 yard stage of the Dryden trophy match which began here today, New Jersey was in the lead with a total of 350 out of a possible 400. The standing of the other teams are as follows:

District of Columbia 349; U. S. army rifle team 341; Penna. 339, Ohio 335; Maryland 329; U. S. marine corps 327, Rhode Island 325; Conn. 325; U. S. army calv. team 321; U. S. navy 307.

The competitors then began at the 500 yard range.

The Dryden trophy match was the principal event of the day and it is considered next only to the national trophy match in importance.

Twelve of the fifteen state and regular service teams that competed for the national trophy were contestants in the Dryden match. The teams, however, consisted of only eight members each. The distances were 200, 500 and 1,000 yards, ten shots by each man at each range.

A PORK PLAGUE.

Berlin Sept. 11.—Forty cases of trichinosis, several of them of a dangerous nature, have occurred at Nautadt near Coburg.

GERMANY STORM SWEEP.

Berlin, Sept. 11.—A severe storm has swept over the western part of Germany. Telegraph communication has been interrupted, trains have been delayed by minor accidents and many trees have been blown down.

COTTON FUTURES.

New York, Sept. 11.—Cotton futures opened firm. Sept. 10, 95; Oct. 9, 95; Nov. 9, 75; Dec. 9, 75; Jan. 9, 75.

TROUBLE BREWING

For the Officials of State Prison Because of Alleged Frauds.

U. S. Revenue Experts Claim They Have Found Fifty Thousand Cigars Unaccounted for. They Find Abundant Evidence That Old Methods Are Faulty.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 11.—Alleged irregularities have been discovered in the factory department of the state penitentiary in this city, and, acting upon the suggestion of Inspector Hart, United States revenue officials are investigating the business methods of the institution. Warden Daniel W. Bussinger has been granted an indefinite vacation and Overseer Robert Armstrong is in charge of the cigar manufacturing department, has been

and have impounded all of the raw and manufactured material. While the discovery of shortness in the cigar factory are acknowledged, the full extent of these will not be known until the expert shall have completed their investigation.

It is, however, stated by United States officials that so far at least, 50,000 cigars are unaccounted for, and these, at the minimum price of \$10 per 1,000 indicate a loss to the state exchequer of not less than \$5,000. Inspector Robinson says each department is to be investigated. "We have not found anything that militates against the personal integrity and ability of the warden, but we have found abundant evidence that the old methods so long in vogue are faulty and antiquated," said the inspector.

The institution has been placed temporarily in charge of Rev. Joseph Welch, the chaplain. The investigation covers the period from the first of the year to the first of the present month, and the internal revenue officials have closed the cigar department.

THE STORY OF BOY WITH A RIFLE.

Chicago, Sept. 11.—Stewart Johnson, aged 8 years, shot and killed his sister, Mabel, 16 years old, at her home last night. The boy had been given a

rifle as a birthday present, and was playing with it, when it was discharged, the bullet entering his sister's heart. Stewart was overcome by grief. The police made no arrests.

PHYSICIAN DIFFERS WITH

Those Who Attended Pope Leo XIII as to the Cause of Death.

Rome, Sept. 11.—Prof. Cardarelli, the eminent physician who is a member of the senate, publishes in the "Rivista D'Italia" today a long article to demonstrate that Pope Leo XIII died of tuberculosis cancer of right hydrothorax. He forstalls his statement with arguments based on his own experience and that of authorities such as Trousseau, Barth Frankel and Zagari to show that all the symptoms of the illness of Pope Leo XIII, as stated in official bulletins by Doctors Lapponi and Mazzoni, lead to the conclusion that the late pope was not affected by pleurisy or pleuro-pneumonia.

There are forms of senile pleurisy or pneumonia, he continues, in which fever, pain and cough are lacking but these are almost without exception of a tuberculous nature. The declaration that the postmortem examination confirmed the diagnosis made by Drs. Papponi and Mazzoni, the professor declares is not sufficient, as only careful microscopic examination in those cases can establish the real affection of the pleura.

The professor's statement concludes as follows: "Hematic serum gathered deceitfully, without fever, pain and cough, in an old man of 84, with diminishing strength should have made the doctors think of cancer of the pleura, or tuberculous hydrothorax instead of pleurisy, pleuro-pneumonia, or simple pulmonary hepatization, but it is impossible to make a diagnosis without having seen the patient and without precise data on the chemical nature of the composition of the liquid taken from the pleura. Faithful to a high pledge taken, I have waited for these days from the death of the pope before making this publication."

STORM SWEEP BRITISH ISLE.

On Land and Sea a Terrific Gale Left Destruction in Its Wake.

London, Sept. 11.—From all parts of the country come reports of destruction on land, and sea, by the terrific gale. The wind has now abated, but telegraphic, or other communication with the outside world is only possible after much delay. In some cases, the lines are entirely down. The suburbs of the metropolis are littered with trees and branches which have been blown down. The tops of the first army corps, which was under canvas preparatory to the taking part in the maneuvers were almost all blown to

pieces. It is possible that the whole force may be recalled from Aldershot. The breakwater of the new harbor in course of construction at Dover, has been entirely swept away, involving a loss of many thousands of pounds sterling. The channel steamers from France arrived late this morning, after perilously riding out the storm for six or seven hours. Many lifeboat rescues were made and several fatalities and many accidents were reported. Much wreckage is being washed up all around the coast.

WALLS FELL AND KILLED

One Man, Five Causes Loss of \$125,000. Many Were Injured.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 11.—Fire here has resulted in the death of one man, the injury of eight others and damaged property to the extent of \$125,000.

The dead: Dr. William H. Smith. Among the injured were: Assistant chief Joe Weaver, scalp wound and fracture.

Capt. Robert Burke, spine injured. Geo. Ferris, rib broken and injured internally.

Samuel McHenry, injured internally. Dr. Smith was in his office, and was caught by a falling wall. He was terribly bruised and was smothered before his body could be extricated. S. S. Wharton who was with the Dr. was slightly injured.

The fire started in the wholesale grocery house of Coleman Tompkins and company, and spread rapidly to the adjoining buildings. The flames had been subdued and the firemen had returned to their station with the exception of seven who were left to guard against another outbreak when the walls fell.

Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless, little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c. at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

THE DEVIL WILL GET THOSE VERY BAD MEN.

Richmond Va., Sept. 11.—"Uncle A" Finney, an ex-slave over 90 years old who lived in a mountain cabin on the farm of the late James Martin in Franklin county, was regarded by ignorant people living in the vicinity as being a sorcerer. A few nights ago the old man was called to his door by three unknown men and shot to death.

THERE IS NO REASON WHY THEY SHOULD NOT.

Saratoga, N. Y. Sept. 11.—At the state bankers convention which opened here today Lee Schlusser, president of the Mechanics and Traders bank of New York city, offered the following resolution but action on it will not be taken until it comes in the regular order:

"Resolved that the thanks of this convention be tendered to Stacy Shaw and his wisdom in depositing the revenues amounting to \$10,000,000 in the banks he approved."

CALL FOR CONDITION.

Washington, D. C. Sept. 11.—The commissioner of the currency today issued a call for the condition of national banks at the close of business, Wednesday, September 9.

Many a woman
has found a husband in Ayer's
Hair Vigor.

BRAVE THING FOR SENATOR PLATT TO DO.

New York, Sept. 11.—Senator Platt of Connecticut, has announced that he favors the nomination of President Roosevelt, as the head of the republican national ticket. This is his first expression on the subject, says a Times despatch from New Haven. The announcement was made in a speech at the annual banquet of the Young Men's Republican club.

Foley's Honey and Tar is peculiarly adapted for chronic throat troubles and will positively cure bronchitis, hoarseness and all bronchial diseases. Refuse substitutes.

H. F. Vorkamp, corner Main and North streets.

TWENTY WE'RE SAVED FROM

Burning Building. A Policeman Caught Baby Thrown From Second Story.

New York, Sept. 11.—More than 20 women and children, were rescued from a tenement house on Long Island this morning. Several were injured. The fire started in a saloon and spread to a six story double tenement adjoining. Four policemen who were near by, rushed into the building and succeeded in getting out twenty persons, who, but for their timely arrival, would have perished. In her excitement, a woman tossed her baby from a window on the second floor. The child was caught by a policeman and was unhurt.

THIS READS LIKE A THRILLING ROMANCE.

Chicago, Sept. 11.—A despatch from Portland, Ore., says: "After wandering around the globe for 15 years, forgetting even his birthplace and the names of his parents, from whom he had been kidnapped, Marcus Hechtman now 22 years old, has walked into the store of his father, to look at a watch, and has been recognized by the aged man. Young Hechtman was stolen by a wandering troupe of variety actors, when 7 years old.

RURAL MAIL BOYS MEET TO ORGANIZE.

Chicago, Sept. 11.—Rural letter carriers will today and tomorrow form a national association. Better roads, more salary, fewer privations, holidays and numerous other improvements in their conditions are their hope, and they declare they travel over the worst roads in the world. Heretofore the rural free delivery carriers had state organizations.

The organization will be known as the Rural Free Delivery Letter Carriers Association.

WILL ADVANCE SCIENCE.

South Port, England, Sept. 11.—The British association for the advancement of science, yesterday, entered upon its regular work, with a large attendance. The president's of each section delivered addresses.

WILL TALK FEED.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 11.—The third annual convention of the International Hotel Stewards' association began this morning, with the members present. Mayor Bookwalter addressed the convention. A resolution was adopted urging Booker T. Washington to establish a hotel at the Tuskegee Institute, a training school for kitchen and dining room employes.

Headache

Hood's Pills
The non-irritant
25 cents of all
C. L. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

BANGS' POLITICAL EXPERIENCE.

At a recent fraternal dinner John Ker Bangs told this story as one of his political experiences, says the New York Times:

"At the time I was running for mayor of Yorkers I saw a laborer digging in a trench, and I thought I would try to capture his vote. I went up to him and said:

"Hello, Pat!"

"He looked at me without recognizing me, and said, 'Good mornin', sor.' 'I said, it was a fine day and asked him if he had made up his mind how he would vote at the election.

"'Oi don't know, sor; but won'ting is sure, Oi'll not vote for that dahn fule Bangs.'"

"Why not?"

"'Wei,' said he, 'he's a swell and a roostercrat and a dood.'"

"I explained to him as best I could that Mr. Bangs was none of these things, and, even if he was, it was because he couldn't help it. I invited him to come and have a drink with me; he accepted, and, after having taken two or three drinks, we became very friendly. While he was in a seemingly affable mood I confessed that I was Bangs.

"I had a cigar in my pocket, and as it was the last of a box that Robert Louis Stevenson had sent me from Samoa, I prized it highly. But much as I prized it, I thought it well spent if I could clinch Pat's vote with it.

"I asked Pat if he would smoke and he said he would. He took the cigar, bit off the end, put it in his mouth and lit it. Then suddenly he grasped the cigar and threw it violently to the ground.

"In astonishment I asked him: 'Isn't it a good cigar?'

"'Yes, sor,' he said, 'the seegar is good enough, but in me excitement in meetin' you Oi forgot Oi nivir smoke.'"

KNOCKED HIM OUT IN TENT.

Before a Fusillade of Blows From Forbes, McFadden Went Down.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 11.—Herry Forbes, of Chicago, the ex-bantam weight champion has knocked out "Kid" McFadden of San Francisco, in the tenth round of their fight before the Tammany A. C. here. Forbes forced the fighting from the start and had all the better of it. In the tenth round, left to the face sent McFadden to the floor for a count of seven. Then he jumped to his feet, only to be sent down again by a terrific left to the jaw and a right to the stomach. Amid wild cheers he staggered to his feet and raised his hands to defend himself.

Forbes sent him down for the last time with a fusillade of lefts and rights.

How Was She to Know?

Mother (indignantly).—The idea of your permitting such a thing. Why didn't you call me when he attempted to kiss you?"

Daughter (innocently).—Why, mamma, I didn't know you wanted to be kissed.—Chicago News.

NEGLECTED

Opportunities for Riches Through Irrigation.

A report will soon be issued by the United States Geological Survey, known as Storage Reservoirs on Stony Creek, published as Water-Supply Paper No. 86, by Mr. Burt Cole. This report gives a general description of the natural fertility and resources of the Sacramento Valley, and particularly of the possibilities of reclaiming from aridity portions of the western side of this valley along the foothills in Glenn county by means of water supplied from storage reservoirs constructed at sites that have been discovered and surveyed in the drainage basin of this stream.

The district under investigation was found to be unusually rich in opportunities for water development of this character. Sites of commercial value were found on Briscoe Creek, both at East Park and at a point known as the Mill Site. A gauging station has been established on Stony Creek and numerous measurements of the discharge of this stream are given in the report, together with other facts as well as estimates as to the cost of water supply.

The investigations show that the foothill lands of the Sacramento Valley are capable of producing any of the crops grown in California, and that these lands, if properly developed, would yield returns that would justify a vast increase in population and in land values.

In the valley of the Po, in northern Italy, irrigation has been practiced for centuries, and that locality is the classic home of irrigation in Europe. Land and water values have been steadily increasing in that region, notwithstanding the fact that the rainfall averages 40 inches at Milan, of which nearly one-half occurs in the summer months. The temperature conditions in the valley of the Po are not so favorable for the production of semi-tropical fruits as in the valley of the Sacramento. In the Sacramento Valley the rainfall is 18 inches, practically no precipitation occurring during the summer months. The singular fact is that irrigation is valued so highly in the valley of the Po and that it has not been developed in the valley of the Sacramento. This fact presents a contrast which is not complimentary to the energy of northern California.

Glenn county now has one child to each two square miles. The average size of a farm in Glenn county is 1695 acres. Assessed values of land, according to census reports, have decreased in the last ten years. In southern California, where irrigation is practiced, population and values have increased until now Riverside county, on its irrigated areas, is supporting one hundred times as dense a population as Glenn county, while the natural resources of Glenn county rank approximately with those of Riverside county.

The report is of particular interest in showing the extent of neglected opportunities and the possibilities of development in this portion of the Sacramento Valley.

A Pocket Cold Cure.
Krause's Cold Cure is prepared in capsule form and will cure cold in the head, throat, chest or any portion of the body in 24 hours. You don't have to stop work either. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. McVie, old postoffice corner.

Durable.

Was his marriage a success? "I should say it was. He has tried to secure a divorce in South Dakota, New York, Oklahoma and England, and his wife has refused to go with him."—Brooklyn Life.

THE STAGE.

"The Moonshiner's Daughter" will be the attraction at the Faurot opera house tonight. It is a tale of thrilling and startling adventure between the Moonshiners and U. S. revenue men. The story is vividly told and punctuated with many stirring episodes and series of climaxes, and its dramatic intensity grows with each succeeding act. The comedy is wholesome and refreshing, being clean and unoffending wit and satire with a homely touch which chases away care and spontaneously brings a merry laugh. The cast, scenery and lighting effects are perfect in every detail. A beautiful love story told in masterly style, and full of true heart interest.

The romantic Irish actor and singer, Smith O'Brien, who will be seen at the Faurot opera house tomorrow afternoon and evening in Con. T. Murphy's latest Irish drama, "The Game Keeper," is today the only recognized star who can sing, dance and act. Mr. O'Brien will no doubt be remembered by all, when the fact is made known that he was the original star in "The Ivy Leaf." The scenery carried for this production is said by capable critics to be the most beautiful and correct ever used in a play of this calibre, all the scenes having been taken from photographs of the originals of Dublin county, Ireland, where the action of the play takes place. The supporting company includes some very clever talent, among them being Harry Driscoll, Tony Murphy, Helen Fliske, Jeanette Knox and Baby Brown.

Jane Adelaide Hood's Naragansett Ladies' Band, which was such an enjoyable feature of Ward & Vokes' production of "The Head Waiters" last season, is still with the same company and will be heard at the Faurot opera house next Monday, September 12th, when Joe Kelly will show us the third edition of this musical and laughing treat. The musical strength of the band has been increased. This band is a special feature with this company, and not, as may be imagined, a lot of chorus girls drilled to do the work. Each of the musicians is a soloist on her particular instrument, the selections played are changed almost nightly, which would be impossible were they not skilled musicians. It is a pleasing novelty and a musical treat.

POSSE IN PURSUIT.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 11.—A large posse of officers and citizens headed by Chief of Police Briggs, of South Omaha, is searching the river bottoms south of the city for an unknown man who today assaulted an 11 year old child, the daughter of Edward Kroeger. The child was on her way to school, and was accompanied by a small brother, who gave the alarm. The little girl was seriously injured. A hundred citizens have joined in the search.

WANT EIGHT HOURS.

Leicester, Eng., Sept. 11.—The Trades Union congress at its session here today adopted, by a large majority, the following resolution:

"This congress declares that the time has arrived when the hours of labor should be limited to eight per day in all trades and occupations in the United Kingdom and that this be made a test question at the next parliamentary, London county council, and all municipal elections, and instructs the parliamentary committee to introduce a bill into the house of commons with a view to getting the eight hour day to become the law of the country."

SOCIALIST

Meeting to Be Held on the Square.

E. R. Lewis, of Indiana, will deliver an address to the Socialists, of Lima, Friday and Saturday evenings on the public square. An invitation is extended to everybody, especially the working men, to hear Mr. Lewis define socialism, and another meeting will be held Sunday afternoon in the hall of the newly organized political party. The place and hour of the meeting will be announced by the speaker Saturday evening.

Al Williams has returned from a business trip through Ohio and Indiana. He left for Wooster today for the Shawyer Barn Co., of Bellefontaine. They report their specialty on the boom and business increasing daily.

Doing.

"New doctor, eh? Has he done you good?" "Well, I've been doing better."—Puck.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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GOOD

News for South Side Railroaders.

Elmer Lyle

Has Narrow Escape at Locomotive Works.

Death Enters the Home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Crumpton.

A Little Scrap on Vine Street—Shower Party at the Davis Home—News and Personal Items of Interest.

The following circular sent to all division superintendents of the Chicago & Erie railroad by D. Willard, vice president and general manager, will be of interest to Erie employees in this part of the city:

"It is the policy of this company to take care of the sons of its old employees in preference to outsiders, when it is practicable to do so."

All such applications will be forwarded to the general office and placed on file. The company's reasons for this plan is that sons of employees are desirable because they have a natural interest in the welfare of the road, and as a general rule make the best workers for the company's interest. Superintendents are asked to keep a lookout for such applications.

Goes to California.
S. C. Scott has resigned his position with the Lima Locomotive and Machine Co., and will leave for southern California, with his family, where he will take up a new line of work.

Arrives Home at Last.
Yesterday afternoon the Rev. Clarence Mitchell returned from Wellsville, N. Y., and is now at his mother's home on east Kibby street. Rev. Mitchell will take up evangelistic work in this section as soon as he fully regains health.

Will Celebrate Tonight.
This evening, Solar Lodge 1, O. O. F. and Stella Rebekas will celebrate the founding of the Odd Fellows' children's home at Springfield, Ohio.

Message of Alarm.
A message announcing the serious illness of Mrs. Florence Edwards, at

Denver, Colorado, was received by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Wheeler of east Kibby street. Mrs. Wheeler left for that place yesterday.

Narrow Escape.
Elmer Lyle, an employee of the Lima Locomotive and Machine Works is congratulating himself on having been born lucky. Yesterday while oiling machinery his shirt sleeve got caught between the belt and pulley, and had not the motor been suddenly shut off, Elmer would have been horribly mangled. As it was, he only received a slight burn, caused by the friction of his arm coming in contact with the belt.

A Notch Higher.
In order to get better view of surroundings the target house at the intersection of the C. H. & D. and C. & E. railroads, near south Main street, in charge of operator Ed. Shaffer, is being elevated six feet, and a new platform will be built around it.

Tested Their Optics.
Yesterday the "color blind" car on the Chicago & Erie road landed in Lima, and examination of all trainmen at this place was in order. Trainmaster J. H. Klein was in charge of the testing machine.

Pulled Hair, Etc.
Yesterday evening a disgraceful "doing" occurred on east Vine street, near St. Johns avenue. Two girls about 17 years old, who were evidently suffering from a severe attack of jealousy, met, and there was "weeping and wailing, and gnashing of teeth," besides hair pulling, scratching and a flow of words—that Webster forgot to put in his dictionary. It was all about a fellow who had had his affections stolen by one of the fair dames.

Zulliger's New Home.
John Zulliger, of south Pine street, is building a neat little cottage on south Main street, south of Vine, and will make that his future home, after its completion.

Treated the Boys.
Yesterday afternoon we enjoyed the hospitality of the ladies of the south side fire department in the way of a watermelon feast. Frank DeVoe was the provider for the occasion.

Improving Nicely.
Ed Paden, of south Pine street, who was injured a few days ago at the Solar refinery by falling from a car, is improving nicely and leaves the hospital today.

Death of an Infant.
Last night at 10 o'clock death relieved the sufferings from pneumonia of Jesse Loy, the four months old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Crumpton, of 331 east Vine street. The little one was a sufferer for two weeks. Funeral will be held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at the residence, and interment made in Woodlawn cemetery.

Funeral of Mrs. Pool.
The funeral of Mrs. Harley Pool,

who died yesterday will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence, 304 south Pine street.

Shower Social.
In advance of the Goddard-Davis wedding about twenty-five young ladies and neighbors called at the Davis home, 426 south Circular avenue last evening and gave Miss Zella a surprise in the way of a shower party. Games and music helped to while away time, until the guests were called to dine, which, of course, was an enjoyable feature. Many were the useful presents bestowed upon the bride-to-be. Those present were Mesdames Emma Crown, Ada Blosser, Zolma Ireland, Hattie Parmenter, Lon Bowditch, John Wright and Gus. Nelstrom, and Misses Beale, Sadie and Alma Johnson, Dora Neubrecht, Carrie Albert, Marie Wright, Anna Clarkson, Carrie Hutchison, Beale Brandon, Marie and Laura Hirsland, Mary and Hattie White, Lulu Harsh, Agnes Montague, Zella and Bessie Davis, and Anna Kendrick. Joy and happiness were the farewell wishes to Miss Davis of all present.

Will Hold Bazaar.
On Tuesday evening the ladies of St. Johns church held a largely attended meeting and decided to have a bazaar for the benefit of the parish this autumn. Miss Lizzie McBaron and Mollie Downey are candidates for a ladies bicycle; Gertie Beck and Mary O'Connell are contesting for a gold watch; Mrs. Peter Keller and another lady whose name is not announced, will contest for a set of dishes.

Forty-Hour Devotion.
The second annual forty-hours devotion of members of St. Johns parish will begin next Sunday morning. The following reverend gentlemen will be in attendance: P. J. Quinn, Van Wert; F. A. Houck, Delphos; S. Weber, Leipsic; Pauline Frost, Cathlamet; O. F. Nigisch, Ottawa; Joseph Zemp, Hamlet; O. Dominic Shunk, St. Henry; O. M. Vollmeyer, Custer; O. E. A. Kirby, D. D., Lima; M. J. Emright, Helena, Ark., and Frederick Rupert, pastor.

The program for this meeting will be published in tomorrow evening's Times-Democrat.

Personal Items.
James Ballinger, of east Second street, is on the sick list.

Perry Metzger has found his way back to Lima. He has been working at Elida.

Landlord Woods, of the Lake Erie house, was at Van Wert, yesterday. The 6 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. De Curtin, of east Kibby street, is very ill.

"The Paint to have when you have to paint." See Gilmore, 685 south Main street.

Mrs. H. P. Haddock, of east Kibby street, has as guests Mrs. Dr. Varulm and Miss Jennie George, of Benton Ridge.

Mrs. B. F. Gantz, of west Kibby street, is on the sick list.

Rev. Gallant, of St. Marys, was calling on his Baptist brethren this morning.

"Uncle" Dan DuVall leaves in a few days for northern Michigan.

Mrs. John O'Connell, of south Main street, is entertaining her nephew, the Rev. M. J. Enright, of Helena, Ark. It will pay you to see Gilmore's line of Heating Stoves, 686 south Main.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Timmerman, of south Elizabeth street, have returned from Johnstown, N. Y., where they have been visiting friends.

H. B. English and family, of Greenlawn avenue, are entertaining his mother, Mrs. Isabella English.

Mrs. Clemmie Wilson, of west Circular street, is visiting in Kenton, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hinton, have returned from Dayton.

Mrs. T. M. Harper, of west Kibby street, is visiting in Detroit.

R. M. Crumrine, of south Main street went to Cleveland yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson, of Highland avenue, have as their guests, Alec Daniels and daughter, of Richmond.

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PLEASANTRIES.

First Housewife.—"Some days I undo about everything the servant does."

Second Housewife.—"Gracious! How do you dare?"—Detroit Free Press. "That 'good intentions never die.' We haven't any doubt."

Perhaps that is the reason why. They're senom carried out.

"Has my wife alluded to me as a buried treasure yet?" queried the shade of the man who had materialized at the seance. "No," replied the medium, "she hasn't yet found her second husband."—Chicago News.

"O, my," murmured the fall overcoat, stirring uneasily in the clothes chest, "I certainly did have a good nap."

"Which you ain't got it now," snickered the fat moth sitting on a camphor ball near by, "Cause I ate most of it."

"I heard her boasting that her dinner party was a success from the beginning and ended with the greatest 'eclaw.' What's 'eclaw,' anyway?"

"Why—er—that was the dessert, of course. Didn't you ever eat a 'chocolate eclaw'?"—Philadelphia Press.

"Fine, wasn't it?" exclaimed Clitman, after the trombone soloist had finished his star performance. "That was really clever, eh?"

"O, shucks," replied Clitman's country cousin. "He didn't fool me a little bit. That's one o' them trick aorns. He didn't really swallow it."

"Think I look mad, eh?" said the American eagle, glaring in the direction of the Orient. "Well, maybe I am mad." "What's the matter?" demanded the British lion. "Well, I dislike to eat things out of season, but I may have to tackle Turkey before Thanksgiving day."

"Well, what did he say?" asked the head of the arm. "He just said: 'Come around the latter part of the week and I'll pay that little bill of yours,'"

replied the collector. "He did, eh? Well, you keep hot on his trail, or he'll get away from you. If he really meant to pay that bill he wouldn't call it 'little.'"

"Why don't you try to demonstrate to your constituents that you are capable of an unselfish action?" "My dear sir," answered Senator Sorghum, "if these people who have known me for years were to find me doing something in which I had no apparent interest they'd get suspicious and decide that I was engaged in a deep and diabolical plot!"—Washington Star.

Used for Pneumonia.
Dr. J. C. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich., says, "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia with good results in every case." Refuse substitutes.

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September.
September brings the loaded wain,
The peach of ruddy hue,
The juicy corn, the ripened grain—
It brings the oysters, too.

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Too Strenuous.
"If I give you a dime you will run straight to some saloon!"

"Not me!"

"Will you promise?"

"Yes'm; I never run."

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From a style stand point this showing will be of much importance to every lady. We call special attention on our neat and practical street and dress hats.

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The clever designs we are showing this season in silk and vesting cloths have won new laurels for our waist department. We are showing them in endless styles and effects.

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Y. M. C. A. SUNDAY, SEPT. 13TH.

The regiment and the Young Men's club will hold a union meeting, which will be addressed by Rev. Arthur Barber, of St. Marys, O., a young man of great power as a minister, and a very good man in boy's work. The regiment takes in boys beginning at 9 years of age, and the club from 14 up to a hundred, so that everybody is invited to be present. Good music will be furnished by the regular regiment corps. Let every member of the two organizations be present, and also all others who will come.

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THE STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

Will be held at Lima, in 1904, and tonight, at Trinity M. E. church, will be held the meeting for the purpose of organization of the committees to entertain the convention. Let every pastor, Sunday school superintendent and the worker selected from each church be present. The meeting is called for seven o'clock p. m.

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GRANTED INJUNCTION.
Wilmington, Del., Sept. 11.—A temporary injunction was granted in the United States district court today by Judge Bradford restraining the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington railroad and the Delaware, Maryland and Virginia railroad, branches of the Pennsylvania railroad, from removing property of the Western Union Tel. company from their right of way until further order of the court.

Feet Swollen to Immense Size.
"I had kidney trouble so bad," says J. J. Cox of Valley View, Ky., "that I could not work, my feet were swollen to immense size and I was confined to my bed and physicians were unable to give me any relief. My doctor finally prescribed Foley's Kidney Cure which made a well man of me." Avoid serious results of kidney or bladder disorder by taking Foley's Kidney Cure.

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The Sensational Seepie Melodrama.

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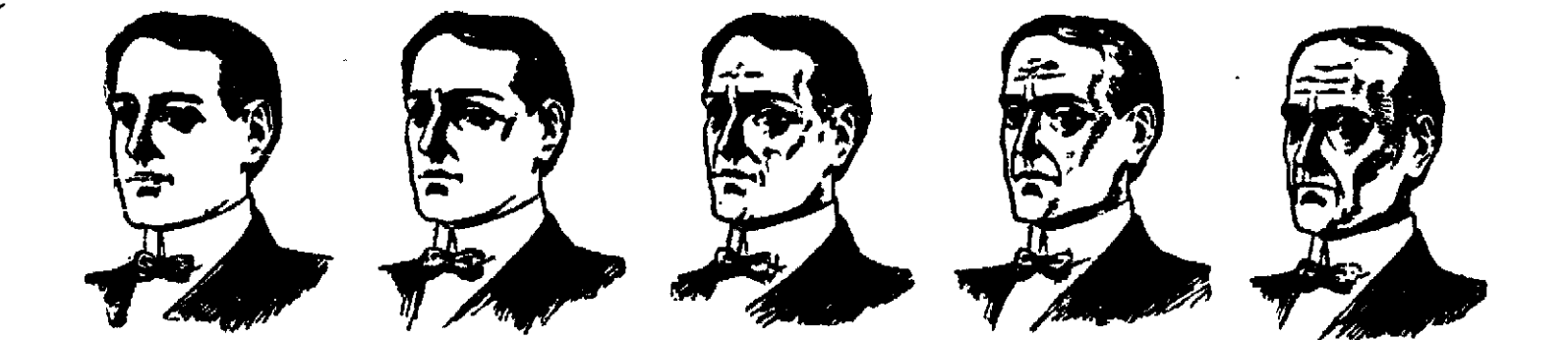
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Foley & Co., Chicago, Gentlemen:—About a year ago my health began to fail, I lost flesh and never felt well. The doctor thought I had stomach and liver trouble, but I became convinced that my kidneys were the cause of my ill health and commenced taking FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE. It increased my appetite and made me feel stronger, and the annoying symptoms disappeared. I am now sound and well.—J. K. Horn, 1354 Diversey Blvd., Chicago, June 11, 1902.

Cured His Wife
E. C. Watkins, sexton of the Methodist Church, Springfield, Pa., writes: "My wife has been very bad with kidney trouble and tried several doctors without benefit. After taking one bottle of FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE was much better, and was completely cured after taking four bottles."

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of Lucas County.

For Supreme Judge,
EDWARD J. DEMPSEY,
of Hamilton County.

For Attorney General,
FRANK S. MONNETT,
of Franklin County.

For Treasurer of State,
V. J. DAHL,
of Fayette County.

For Auditor of State,
CHARLES A. KLOER,
of Mercer County.

For School Commissioner,
J. H. SECREST,
of Putnam County.

For Member of Board of Public Works,
T. H. B. JONES,
of Lawrence County.

For United States Senator,
JOHN H. CLARKE,
of Cuyahoga County.

DISTRICT TICKET.

For State Senators,
STEPHEN D. CRITES,
THOMAS M. BERRY.

For Common Pleas Judges,
STEPHEN A. ARMSTRONG,
WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative,
JOHN W. MANGUS,
of Richland Township.

For Sheriff,
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of Lima.

For Treasurer,
MINOR C. CROSSLEY,
of Lima.

For Commissioner,
ALEXANDER L. CONRAD,
of Bluffton.

For Surveyor,
CHARLES E. CRAIG,
of Monroe Township.

For Coroner,
DR. ANDREW W. BICE,
of Lima.

For Infirmary Director,
C. H. MOSIER,
of Marion Township.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, D. C. Sept. 11.—For
Ohio Saturday cloudy, probably show-
ers; cooler in southern portion.

In all the not the opposition press
is saying about Tom Johnson, there is
never a statement that he is dis-
honest, or that when in public office,
he has ever betrayed the confidence
and trust placed in him by his consti-
tuents. If he had, the voters and tax-
payers of republican Cuyahoga county
would never have carried him to
victory at the polls as many times as
they have.

Congressman Garber has again
been highly honored. The new demo-
cratic state committee unanimously
tendered the chairmanship to Mr.
Garber but owing to other pressing
duties he was compelled to decline.
While he could not accept the chair-
manship he consented to serve as a
member of the committee, and his
name therefore appears in the list of
committees. His advice will be
of great benefit to the new committee
as he is one of the ablest and most
popular workers in the state.—Aug-
laize County Democrat.

YOUTH

Was Knocked Senseless by a Blow

Administered With End of
a Billiard Cue,

And a Driving Park Special Po-
liceman Is Arrested on the
Charge of Having De-
livered the Blow.

Theopolis Bishop, a man who served
as a special policeman at the fair
grounds during the race meeting this
week, was arraigned before Mayor
Robb this morning, on a charge of as-
sault and battery. Bishop pleaded
guilty and was bound over to the
grand jury under bond in the sum of
\$200.

The prosecuting witness in the case
is Harry Colner, a young lad, and the
allegations are that he peeped through
a fence at the fair grounds, and was
hit over the head with the heavy end
of a billiard cue. He claims that the
blow rendered him unconscious, and
broke the policeman's club, one piece
of the mace being handed to him,
when he regained his senses, by a man
who had witnessed the deed.

The case against Homer Fogle,
charged with disorderly conduct, has
been continued to October 2, for hear-
ing, on account of the illness of a wit-
ness.

Central market is the sure place to
get fresh vegetables and meats.

Bulk oysters at Townsend's.

THE POLE BROKE

And the Man Working on It
Was Injured.

On Wednesday afternoon, Frank B.
Mykel, while working on a pole der-
rick, was seriously injured. The pole
broke and dropped him to the ground
a distance of 35 feet. He was working
for his father, J. K. Mykel, who is
foreman for the United States Petrol-
eum Co.

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FENNER BROS. GALLERY IS
OPEN FOR BUSINESS WHICH WILL
BE CONTINUED THE SAME AS BE-
FORE.

ENGAGEMENT

Of Miss Marmon and W. K.
Boone Jr., Announced.

Mrs. Annie E. Marmon has an-
nounced the engagement of her daugh-
ter, Miss Marmon, to Mr. W. K. Boone, Jr.,
the consummation to take place in
the near future, at Mrs. Marmon's
home in Los Angeles, California.

Mr. Boone and Miss Marmon were
until recently both prominent young
society people in this city, and both
are of the oldest and best families of
Lima. Mr. Boone is at present lo-
cated in California, and not far from
Los Angeles.

Best variety and freshest vegetables
and meats at central market.

Fish at Townsend's

PERSONAL MENTION.

Carlisle Lee, of Delphos, leaves to-
day for Stanton, Va., to attend the
military academy of that place.

Mrs. Jacob Piper, of 116 north Mc-
Donald street, is visiting relatives in
Sidney.

J. C. Finckel and family have re-
turned from Sidney, where they have
been attending the Shelby county fair.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Dille, of Haver
park, are enjoying a visit from Mr.
Dille's brother, J. M. Dille, of Kenton.

Miss Catharine Donaldson has as her
guest, Mrs. Harry E. Sanders, of
Piqua, O.

Miss Kate Cahill entertained last
evening in honor of Miss Donaldson's
guest, Mrs. Sanders, of Piqua, O.

Elmer K. Wheeler, of this city, is
studying telegraphy at Huntington,
Ind.

Mr. D. D. Nichols, of Knoxville,
Tenn., is circulating among his many
friends today.

Mr. W. H. Wood, a former resident
of Jackson township, but now conduct-
ing a prosperous grocery business in
Anderson, Ind., was in the city today.

Bacon 15c at Townsend's

Best variety and freshest vegetables
and meats at central market.

Bulk oysters at Townsend's.

THE LAW IS MAKING

Much Legal Business for a Number of
Prominent Expostal Employees.

Some Attention Is Also Being Given to Gentle-
men in Other Walks of Life, Especially
Those Engaged in Making
Postal Supplies.

New York, Sept. 11.—George W.
Beavers, the former head of the de-
partment of salaries and allowances
in the postoffice department, was ar-
raigned before U. S. Commissioner
Hitchcock in the federal building to-
day on a bench warrant issued in
Washington, charging him with con-
spiracy to defraud the government.
Beavers furnished a bond of \$5,000
for his appearance on Sept. 15. Beav-
ers was recently arraigned on the in-
dictment returned by the federal
grand jury in Brooklyn.

Neither Mr. Beavers nor his counsel
would discuss the nature of the
charges, but gave notice that they
would on Sept. 25 insist upon the evi-
dence against the defendant. Assis-
tant United States District Attorney
Wise stated that if such a demand
were made, he would insist that the
certified copy of the indictment re-
turned against the defendant in an-
other district was all the "evidence"
the law required. The copy of the in-
dictment he said, was of itself all the
evidence the government intended to
produce and if the defense counted on
forcing the government to bring here
all of its witnesses and subject them
to cross-examination by the defense,
practically trying the case in New
York, it would find itself mistaken.

The complaint against Beavers
made in this district is based on the
Washington indictment, and signed by
Confucius I. Wayland, postoffice in-
spector. It is made on "information
and belief."

The complaint charges that, accord-
ing to an indictment returned in Wash-
ington, August W. Machen, general
superintendent of the free delivery sys-
tem, in company with Geo. W. Beav-
ers and James W. Erwin, did conspire
together with divers other persons to
defraud the United States by giving to,
and obtaining for the Postal De-
vice and Improvement Co., (a corpora-
tion organized under the laws of Cal-
ifornia) in a manner contrary to law,
and the postal regulation, the exclusive
opportunity for, and business of fur-
nishing to the free delivery service,
certain articles, supplies and equip-
ments free from all competition, at un-
reasonable and exorbitant prices far
above the ordinary cost of manufac-
ture.

The complaint further charges that
the articles so secured were 100 of the
indicated devices, and that Machen
concealed from all other persons de-
sires of furnishing such, supplies an
opportunity to compete in the sale of
the same, and that the exigency of the
service did not demand the immediate
delivery of the supplies mentioned.
Machen further is charged with secur-
ing the approval and payment of all
bills of the Postal Device and Im-
provement Co., though he knew them
to be exorbitant and unreasonable, and
with misinforming and deceiving the
postmaster general and the first as-
sistant postmaster general, concern-
ing these facts. It is charged that
Beavers, Erwin and Machen divided
between themselves, and others, the
excess of money's and the unlawful
gain accruing to the said Postal De-
vice and Improvement Co., in conse-
quence of this conspiracy.

Other Victims.

United States Attorney Beach today
announced that the six persons named
in the seven indictments returned by
the grand jury last Tuesday, are: G.
W. Beavers, former chief of the divi-
sion of salaries and allowances, postof-
fice department; August W. Machen,
former general superintendent of the
free delivery system, postoffice de-
partment; James W. Erwin, former
postoffice inspector, with headquarters
in San Francisco; Geo. H. Huntington
and Isaac H. Meighan, both of New
York city, owners of the Columbia
Supply Co., of that city, and Eugene
D. Scheble, of Toledo, O., a dentist and
interested in the firm of Maybury and
Ellis of Detroit, Mich., letter box
manufacturers. Beaver, Machen and
Erwin are named officially in one in-
dictment for conspiracy to defraud the
United States. Another indictment is
against McGeehan, Huntington and
Machen for conspiracy to defraud the
United States, and still another is
against the same three for conspiracy
to commit bribery, both under section
5440, revised statutes. Scheble and Ma-
chen are indicted jointly for conspi-
racy against the United States, and
again for another conspiracy to com-
mit bribery. Another indictment is
against McGeehan and Huntington for
bribery, the last is against Machen,
for accepting bribes under section 5501
revised statutes.

PUT WHOLE FAMILY TO SLEEP.

Wabash, Ind. Sept. 11.—Burglars
early today chloroformed the entire
family of Chris Harnish, a farmer liv-
ing near Dora. They ransacked the
house, securing considerable money

and jewelry. As a result of the chloro-
form Miss Lulu Harnish, a daughter,
is in a critical condition, and the other
members of the family are suffering
from the effects of it.

COMMANDER IS AWAITING

Instructions From Superior Officer Be-
fore He Will Give Up Custody.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 11.—No deci-
sion has been reached in the dispute
between the city police officials and
Lieut. Drury, commandant at the United
States arsenal, over the custody
of the sentry, who shot and killed Wm.
Crowley, yesterday, for the alleged
theft of copper from the barracks' roof.
Lieut. Drury still refuses to turn the
man over to the civil authorities. He
says he will not surrender him or re-
lease him until he receives orders to
do so from his superior officer. Maj.
Gen. Chaffee was acquainted with the
facts promptly after the shooting
and commandant Drury is awaiting
instructions. Police Superintendent
McTigue threatens to make infor-
mation against the lieutenant, charging
him with being an accessory to the
killing, if he persists in holding the
sentry.

The coroner has empanelled a
jury and will proceed with the inquest
in a statement issued today, the cor-
oner says, if it should develop that
Crowley met his death at the hands of
a sentry on actual duty in the military
service of the United States, and in
the line of his duty, it seems to be
clear that his duty will be to remand
him to the custody to the United
States government. If the United
States authorities deem it proper, they
may then turn the prisoner over to
the county authorities for trial. If
they do not, that will be a matter for
other officials.

WANTS FOR RENT, LOST.

WANTED—Girl to do general house-
work in small family. Inquire 401
West Wayne street. 5-34*

WANTED—Dish washer at the Sher-
man house. 53-1f

WANTED—Sales ladies, with experi-
ence in dry goods and ladies furn-
ishings. Good salary to able clerks.
Address "Dry Goods" this office. 51-3t

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—My brick house on cor-
ner of Market and West streets, for
long term if desired. W. H. Van
Nate, room 8, Cincinnati block. 5-3t

FOR RENT—Best business room in
town; steam heated; call Reid's
Sweet Place, opp. postoffice. 5-3t*

FOR RENT—Large store room on
north Main street, Lima, O.; cheap
rent, good location. Call or write J.
A. Newell at the store or 238 Harri-
son avenue. 284-eod-1f

FOR RENT—Eight room modern
house. Has furnace, good cellar,
cistern, artificial and natural gas.
Possession given about Oct. 1st.
Enquire of O. B. Selfridge, Times-
Democrat. 79-6t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

Tents in all sizes, at the Awning
factory in the Collins block. New
Phone 1019. S. G. Rolosen, Manufac-
turing Co. 67-1m.

FOR SALE—Property on West Wayne
street; will insure between 7 and 8
per cent on investment. Terms to
suit purchaser. Address, Box 591,
Lima, Ohio. 254-1f

LOST.

LOST—Pocket book and about \$7, be-
tween Greek Candy store and
Green's book store. Finder please
leave at this office. 1t

LOST—Silk jacket on the West street
road about 2 miles north. Finder
please leave at 817 north Main. 1t

PASTURE—Good pasture for stock,
can accommodate a limited number.
\$2.00 per month. John M. Boose,
201 Black block. 55-3t

BASE BALL

AT THE

Wapakoneta Ball Park.
Sunday, Sept. 13.

Wapakoneta vs
Shamrocks
of Cincinnati.

The Shamrocks have long been
recognized as the champion inde-
pendent team of three states, and
the Reds will give them a warm
argument.

Owing to the large number of
strangers in the city this day pat-
rons should come early to avoid the
rush.

Admission 25c. Grand Stand 10c.
Game Called at 3:30 O'clock.

Electric cars take you right to the park
Concert at Ball Park at 8 p. m. by First
Regiment Band of Cincinnati.

FAUROT OPERA HOUSE

Saturday, Sept. 12.

Matinee and Night.

Messrs Rowland & Clifford present the
singing comedians

MR. SMITH O'BRIEN.

Assisted by a company of unusual excel-
lence in Con T. Murphy's Great-
est success.

The Game Keeper

A Beautiful Story of the Emerald Isle. A
carload of scenery and effects.

Prices—Matinee, 10c and 25c. Night,
25c, 35c and 50c.

FAUROT OPERA HOUSE

ONE NIGHT,

Monday, September 14.

B. C. WHITNEY Presents the Big
Musical Cut Up,

THE
HEAD WAITERS,
With the well known cast of Laugh
Productions, headed by

THE PIPE DREAMER

JOE KELLY

and 25 others.

The Greatest of all Stage Features.

JANE ADELAIDE HOOD'S

Massachusetts Ladies Band.

Prices—25, 35, 50, 75c. Box seats \$1

R. T. GREGG & CO.

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Cloaks, Suits, Skirts and Waists.



All new. The latest creations of this sea-
son's new and up-to-date Suits will be found
here. Our business in the Cloak and Suit de-
partment last season was a Grand Success, and
this season will find us ever so much better
prepared in every way to please you both in
volume of goods and the room in which to
show it.

We Have Expanded. Why?

BUSINESS DEMANDED IT.

We have enlarged our Cloak Room. It now is
just double the size it was last year, which means
a room fifty feet wide by fifty-five feet long,
which makes it one of the largest and best
lighted Cloak Rooms in Northern Ohio.

Come to us for your Cloaks, Suits and Skirts.
We have all the New Things to show you.

The accompanying cuts give but a meagre de-
scription of what they are this season.



The Tail of the Coat EXTENDED!

How long or how short? That is the question. It's all up to
you. We know what is right. We have picked THE
WINNERS. For instance, the long Coat, THAT IS IT!
They are right! Last year's left-overs wont do. Ours are all
this season's goods. If you are looking for safety and distinc-
tion in Dress, you will find it here.

FURS! FURS! FURS!

In all the leading and popular things just received. For early
buyers in the FUR line, would say we are prepared for you all.
Coats from the better grades down. See us when in need of a
Fur Coat, or small Furs.

Dress Goods! Silks! Velvets!

We carry one of the largest and most carefully selected
stocks to be found in Northern Ohio. All the popular things
will be found here and the prices tip the beam in our favor.
Waistings in endless variety from the better grades down.

R. T. GREGG & CO.

A black and white line drawing of a woman in a late 19th-century style dress. The dress features a high, ruffled collar, long sleeves, and a full, pleated skirt. She is standing and holding a small bouquet of flowers in her left hand. The drawing is simple, with no shading or background.

A beautiful instep length skirt of strictly all wool melton, made in the handsome styles as shown in this cut, colors are light and dark gray, black, navy and tan. A garment worth fully \$7.50, our special price

\$5.00

The little every day needfuls at prices that save you money.

Advance Opening
Friday and Saturday.

Ladies' and misses' tailor-made hats, special values at popular prices.

Was Rewarded.
Michael Schiver, a switchman in the Pennsylvania railroad yards at Crestline, is the proud possessor of a solid gold watch, presented by high officials of the Pennsylvania company as a reward for heroic services. He

Dressed chickens and ducks, fish, oysters, veal and lamb at Townsend's.



"The Nettleton Shoe is a Gentleman's Shoe."

MICHAEL'S
UP TO DATE STORE
FOR CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR

"The Home of Stylish Suits and Footwear."

The Lima Driving Park Co. now have good reason to hope that this plant will not only prove the most popular recreative factor in the social life of Lima, but will also prove a dividend paying investment. The track has not only been widened and made as smooth and even as the approved mile rings of the grand circuit but the grand stand and buildings and stables are models of artistic design and convenience. The grand stand frame work is of steel, 130 feet long by 45 feet deep, with tile roof in terra cotta. There are no board seats, but roomy cane seat chairs to the number of 1,500, besides the private boxes in the center. The incline is steep and while the grand stand held 1,800 people yesterday, the view of the home

made in the business world, has figured out that the Detroit Southern railroad owns 40 per cent of the best coal land in Ohio, and that it will in time, be the best north and south road in Ohio. He has also discovered that the management is figuring on moving the company's shops from Springfield, and he suggests very correctly that the bringing of them to Lima, should be taken up by the board of trade. It is useless to say that the C H & D and L E, & W shops have been largely instrumental in making this city what it is.

An idea of how some people play the close and reckless habit in one afternoon was demonstrated at the Driving Park club's races. A man, fairly well to do, offered one of the gate keeper's 15 cents and three cigars to be let in the grounds, but his proposition was declined, and later he was seen coming over the fence at a point where he believed himself to be obscured from view. He was caught in the act, however, and brought to the office, where he made good for his price of a ticket. Two hours later, after playing the cage bird steadily with fast falling luck, he had lost \$58, showing that he was well healed, and as willing to beat a legitimate proposition as those

Despatches from Hartford state that the weather and track conditions there are such that Dan Patch cannot be expected to even equal his own record this afternoon.

REID'S SWEET PLACE
has consolidated their two stores into one, in west room of Adkins block, opposite postoffice, where they will supply your sweet wants at all times. Call on us

REID'S SWEET PLACE
3 lbs of steak for 25c at Townsend's.

Dressed chickens and ducks, fish, bulk oysters, veal and lamb at Townsend's

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The Mammoth.

Do the
wise
Thing

WANTED—400 MEN

A. D., 1903.
JAMES D. ARMSTRONG,
285-3W Administrator.

**From Trainmen, Collided With Train,
Causing Explosion and Killing.**

dorado, Kans., Sept. 11.—A car of powder set on a Frisco siding Beaumont by a freight crew which did not want to handle it. In switching, got beyond control and ran several miles on a branch towards Winfield, colliding with a train which had left that station ten minutes before and exploded, killing and injuring two more.

Those dead are: Milton Pennock, brakeman, Enid, Oklahoma; J. N. Holt, brakeman, Enid, Oklahoma. The injured are: A. H. Merrill, Atlanta, Kan., will die; Fred Orr, Atlanta, Kan.

In addition the explosion tore up several rods of track and dismantled a locomotive. The shock of the explosion shook the ground for miles around.

People in Eldorado ran from their houses fearing an earthquake. Other towns in the vicinity also were shaken.

INCREASE OF SUICIDE.

Can it be true that a considerable part of the remarkable increase of suicide is due to life insurance? This novel and surprising theory is advanced by the eminent insurance statistician, Frederick L. Hoffman, in the current Spectator. He reasons from the carefully analyzed suicide returns of fifty American cities, with populations aggregating 14,500,000. New York and all the larger cities are included in the list. In these fifty cities 2,500 persons took their own lives last year.

Prof. Hoffman concludes from these figures that the rate of suicide for the whole country, which advanced from twelve to seventeen per 100,000 of population between 1890 and 1900, is still advancing. From a special study of New York's returns for 100 years past, he deduces the fact that before the civil war the city's suicide rate was about ten per 100,000, and is now more than twice as high (twenty-one). All over the country, he says, the rate is highest where the proportion of French, German and Slavonic population is largest, and lowest where native American and Irish population preponderates.

The professor's most astonishing deduction is that there is a "progressive increase in the suicide rate of males, ages thirty-five and over, representative of the period of life which includes the larger proportion of male risks insured with American life insurance companies." Dr. Muirhead, medical officer of a leading English insurance company, says the English death returns show that "no less than .087 per cent of the total (English) deaths by suicide occurred in the very first year" of insurance, and more than 3 per cent, besides in the second year.

"Not a few" men, in Prof. Hoffman's opinion, "at certain periods think less of their own lives than they do of the comfort of their families." If this view is correct, the surprising increase in self-destruction has a sentimental and half-chivalrous side hitherto unsuspected. The idea that 10 per cent, or more of suicides deliberately devote themselves to death so that their wives and children may not suffer want, might have found a place in Mr. Howell's "Altruism." But there are more probable causes for the vogue of self-slaughter—New York World.

FEMININE WAYS.

A girl at Benton played "postoffice" at a party one night, and yelled and shrieked and howled and ran behind the door and scratched a young man's face in seven places, tipped over a lamp, kicked a crack in the piano, and when at last the fellow kissed the tip of her pink ear she fainted dead away, and said she would never look another man in the face again. They led the bashful, gentle, modest, sobbing thing home and put her to bed, and the next day she eloped with a lightning rod peddler who had a hair lip and nine children—Centerville. (S. D.) Chronicle.

Krause's Headache Capsules. are unlike anything prepared in America. They were first prescribed by Dr. Krause, Germany's famous court physician, long before antipyrine was discovered, and are almost marvelous, so speedily do they cure the most distressing cases. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

Evening Up.

Briggs—"How can Stickney cut us so, with his wife in a sanitarium?" Griggs—"He considers himself and wife as one, and he is having just as much fun as possible, to make up for her lack of it."—Life.

More Riots.

Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by utter collapse, unless a reliable remedy is immediately employed. There's nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the Liver or Kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nerve and the greatest all around medicine for run down systems. It dispels Nervousness, Rheumatism and Neuralgia and expels Malaria germs. Only 50c, and satisfaction guaranteed by H. F. Vortkamp, druggist.

Lacked Experience.

Mamma—"Don't let me catch you in a lie again, you naughty boy!" Johnny—"I won't if I can help it, but I haven't had the experience that pa has had."—Boston Transcript.

The Real Thing Wanted.

Christian Science Mamma—"He must imagine he has the colic." Christian Science Papa—"I wish he'd imagine I'm walking the floor with him."—Puck.

Has Sold a Pile of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for more than twenty years and it has given entire satisfaction. I have sold a pile of it and can recommend it highly.—Joseph McElhinney, Linton, Iowa. You will find this remedy a good friend when troubled with a rough or cold. It always affords quick relief and is pleasant to take. For sale by all druggists.

THE ORIGIN OF "BLASPHEM."

During dinner a few days ago at the forest residence of Mr. Burroughs, says the New York Mail and Express, President Roosevelt turned to his venerable host and remarked:

"Burroughs, I wish I could inspire as much interest in any man as you do in me. You know, I have read all you have written, and I love to hear you talk; but I am always asking myself some new question about you. I never knew until a few years ago why you called your first book 'Wake-up-in' and I can't see how this delightful place ever got such a name as 'Blasphem.'" "Can't tell you sir, exactly," Mr. Burroughs is reported to have replied. "But when I was a youngster I knew a man whom we called 'Old Blasphem.'" He was a Presbyterian minister, a tall, lank, melancholy man, and my father used to lend me out to him to cut bait when he went fishing. He had a glass eye and a chronic catarrh. One cold March day, when the fish were biting, he was greatly annoyed by having to resort almost constantly to his handkerchief. Finally he turned to me and said, 'Johnny, don't you know some nice boy I could hire on a small salary to blow my nose?'"

In Praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. "Allow me to give you a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mr. John Hamlett, of Eagle Pass, Texas. "I suffered one week with bowel trouble and took all kinds of medicine without getting any relief, when my friend, Mr. C. Johnson, a merchant here, advised me to take this remedy. After taking one dose I felt greatly relieved and when I had taken the third dose was entirely cured. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for putting this great remedy in the hands of mankind." For sale by all druggists.

To Baltimore, Sept. 18th, 19th and 20th, via Pennsylvania Lines. Account sovereign grand lodge, excursion tickets will be sold via Pennsylvania lines. For particulars, consult ticket agents of Pennsylvania lines.

Doctors Could Not Help Her. "I had kidney trouble for years," writes Mrs. Raymond Conner of Shelton, Wash. "and the doctors could not help me. I tried Foley's Kidney Cure, and the very first dose gave me relief and I am now cured. I cannot say too much for Foley's Kidney Cure." It makes the diseased kidneys sound so they will eliminate the poisons from the blood.

H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

SPECIAL HARVEST EXCURSION. September 15th, to Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory via Frisco System. Round trip from Cincinnati, \$18; from Louisville, \$18, from St. Louis, \$15. Tickets good 21 days.

W. R. POWE, Gen'l Agt. 407 Walnut St., Cincinnati, O.

It is now possible to get a good cigar without doubt or question, no matter where you are.

Good News Cremo
5c. Cigar

The Largest Selling Brand of Cigars in the World.
The Band is the Smoker's Protection.

AGRICULTURE IN SCHOOL.

The school board of Seattle, Washington, empowered to select text books for the country schools, has adopted a book upon practical agriculture for the country school districts. This action of the board is the first of the kind taken to teach in the schools something about practical agriculture to the country boys. The movement in favor of incorporating this study in the common school curriculum has gained great favor in the eastern states, but this is the first advance it has made in the west.

Close observers of school methods have become convinced that the farmer's welfare would be materially brightened if he was to know something of scientific agriculture. With this end in view, the introduction of this study into the grammar school district of the country schoolboy has been tried.

In this study an attempt is made to overcome the tendency to breed poor cattle, to teach the youth something about the rotation of crops, and to point out the best methods of tree and shrub grafting.

COURT HUMORS.

One of the wittiest and most satirical judges on the American bench is Judge Joseph E. Gary, of Chicago, who came into national prominence as the presiding judge in the celebrated trial of the anarchists responsible for the Haymarket tragedy. One day a lawyer who was arguing a case before Judge Gary complained that a pickpocket had relieved him of several banknotes in the court room. "What! does Mr. F—— think that no one is entitled to take notes in court except himself?" was the eminent jurist's caustic comment. At another trial Judge Gary was annoyed by the actions of a young man who was making a disturbance in the rear of the court room. "What's the trouble back there?" demanded the court. "Your honor, I am looking for my overcoat," replied the young man. "Somebody seems to have taken it." "That is no excuse for interrupting the business of this court," replied the judge a sly glance at the attorney, he added, "People sometimes lose whole suits in here without making half the fuss you have made over a mere overcoat."

It Saved His Leg. P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg, but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets, druggists.

WESTERN EXCURSIONS.

Sept. 1st and 15th. The Erie railroad will sell round trip and one way cheap excursion tickets to points in the west, southwest and northwest. See agent.

Sept. 1st to Sept. 12. W. S. MORRISON.

NEW METHOD.

Extensive improvements are contemplated by the Indiana Natural Gas and Oil Company in the near future. The company had considered the advisability of discontinuing the pumping of natural gas to Chicago. It is now said this will be continued until the present arrangements can be completed, when the company will be in better shape than ever before to supply Chicago with fuel.

Plans have been forwarded for the remodeling of the mammoth pumping station, two and a half miles west of Fairmount. A huge generator to be used to convert the crude Indiana oil into gas will be installed. The gas from this generator will be turned into the mains and forced to Chicago. As fast as possible more generators will be added.

The company has thousands of acres in the midst of the gas and oil belt under lease, and they will be in shape to get their oil for this purpose at first cost—Hartford City Times.

When troubled with constipation try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no griping or other unpleasant effect. For sale by all druggists.

John's Mishap.

A Chinaman once lost his queue, and he didn't know what to do; he searched here and there and almost everywhere. But it never more came to his queue. —Chicago News.

Cured Hemorrhages of the Lungs.

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar and my lungs are now as sound as a bell. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble."

Supreme Control.

Says a rural editor: "Owing to the over-crowded condition of our columns a number of births and deaths are unavoidably postponed this week."—Tit-Bits.

Emergency Medicines.

It is a great convenience to have at hand reliable remedies for use in cases of accident and for slight injuries and ailments. A good liniment and one that is fast becoming a favorite if not a household necessity is Chamberlain's Pain Balm. By applying it promptly to a cut, bruise or burn it allays the pain and causes the injury to heal in about one-third the time usually required, and as it is an antiseptic it prevents any danger of blood poisoning. When Pain Balm is kept at hand a sprain may be treated before inflammation sets in, which insures a quick recovery. For sale by all druggists.

Not a Scale off the Old Fish.

The chorus girls call him 'a sucker'—He treats them to many a lark—But 'down in the street' his old father is known as 'a regular shark.' —New York Herald.

His Resources.

Mr. Gotrox—What are your resources? Cholly Nervine—Well, I have six other girls willing to marry me besides your daughter.—Judge.

Suits, Pants, Overcoats, Good China Closet FOR SALE

—AT—
J. E. PEARL'S,
216 East Wayne Street

DR. R. D. KAHLE,

HARPER BLOCK.
Cor. Main and North St. Lima Phone 104.
Aug 11 1m

Buffalo-Niagara Falls New Train.

Via Erie Railroad, Leaves 11:02 p. m.
Sleepers, Coaches, Cafe Cars Through.
TICKET OFFICE, Phone 60.

RAILROAD

Time card in effect June 14, 1903, from Lima.

Trains West.
1 Pacific Exp. for Chic., da. 12:28am
9 Buffalo-Chicago L.V'd. da. 1:58am
21 Chicago Exp. for ex. Sun. 8:42am
3 N. Y. Chgo. L.V'd. daily 11:33am
13 Wells Fargo Exp. da. ex.
Monday, ex. Sun. arrives 5:30pm
37 Local Frt., ex. Sun. arrives 5:30pm

Trains East.
3 N. Y. and Columbus, daily 4:05am
23 Marion-Columbus, ex. Sun. 8:21am
4 N. Y.-Boston L.V'd. daily 1:33pm
10 Buffalo-Chautauque, dly. 11:02pm
No. 18 will not carry baggage.

C. E. & D. RAILROAD.

SOUTH BOUND.
No. 7 Daily, leaves 2:10am
No. 11 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 5:30am
No. 12 Daily, leaves 8:35am
No. 5 Daily, leaves 12:41pm
No. 3 Daily, leaves 4:10pm
No. 9 Daily, leaves 6:10pm
No. 13 Daily, except Sunday, 9:30pm
No. 15 Daily ex. Sunday, arrives only 9:30pm
No. 65 Sunday only, leaves 6:50am

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Change of time on Detroit Southern Railroad, in effect June 14th, 1903.

Going South.
1 Daily except Sunday, 2:15pm
3 Daily except Sunday, 6:00am
21 Sunday only, 2:15pm
23 Sunday only, arrives, 11:50pm

Going North.
2 Daily except Sunday, 10:55am
4 Daily except Sunday, Arr. 8:25pm
22 Sunday only, arrives, 10:55am
24 Sunday only, departs, 5:45am

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run between Detroit, Mich., and Bainbridge, Ohio.
Trains Nos. 3 and 4 between Lima, Ohio, and Ironton, Ohio.
Trains Nos. 21 and 22 run Sunday only, between Lima, Ohio, and Bainbridge, Ohio.
Trains Nos. 23 and 24 run Sunday only, between Lima, Ohio, and Detroit, Michigan.

L. E. & W.

West.
1 Daily, leaves 9:55am
5 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:23pm
3 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:30am

East.
8 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 8:09am
4 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 12:50 M
2 Daily, leaves 5:55pm
12 Lake Spl. Sun. only, L. 7:00am

P. F. W. & C.

In effect May 24th, 1903.
East.
24 Pgh. special, daily 12:46am
5 Pgh. & N. Y. daily 7:45am
36 Crestline accm. da. ex. Sun. 9:05am
30 Alliance accm. da. ex. Sun. 2:15pm
22 Seashore Limited 4:27pm
8 Pgh. & N. Y. daily 9:30pm
2 Limited Express, daily 11:07pm

West.

15 Chgo. & West, daily 1:53am
23 Chgo. & West, daily 10:23am
39 Chgo. & West, da. ex. Sun. 9:24am
9 Chgo. & West, daily 2:31pm
35 Ft. Wayne accm. da. ex. Sun. 5:20pm
F. M. EAKIN, Agent.

Foley's Kidney Pills

makes kidneys and bladder

Wright's Celery Tea
WRIGHT MEDICAL CO., Columbus, O.

\$500,000 IN PRIZES of \$5.00 each to be given to the School Children of America

School Children's Competitive Advertising Contest No. 30



There was a jolly miller
Lived on the river Dee:
He worked and sang from morn
till night,
No lark so blithe as he
And this the burden of his song
Forever used to be—
I care for nothing—not not!
Nothing but

EGG-O-SEE
MADE BY THE BATTLE CREEK BREAKFAST FOOD CO. BATTLE CREEK, MICH. QUINCY, ILL.

No step so important has ever been undertaken in the food business as the introduction of Egg-O-See, a full sized package of absolutely the best flaked wheat food, and yet it RETAILS AT 10 CENTS.

This step has made Egg-O-See the standard as a flaked wheat product. The largest and best food mill in the world enables us to manufacture this superior article, in full weight packages at a lower price than has ever before been attempted with a first class product. **ASK YOUR GROCER FOR THE GREEN PACKAGE.**

If your grocer does not keep it, send us his name and 10c and we will send you a package, prepaid.

Address all communications to Battle Creek Breakfast Food Co., Quincy, Ill.

Dr. Payton & Co. SPECIALISTS.
We Treat and Cure
Nervous Debility, Nervous Prostration, Mental Depressions, Impotency, Sexual Weakness, Scrofula, Rheumatism, Syphilis, Hydrocele, Varicocele, Stricture, Pimples, Catarrh, Bronchitis, Loss of Appetite, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Constipation, Varicose Veins, Etc.

Ladies! All diseases peculiar to your sex successfully treated. You may consult us in confidence, no matter what the trouble may be.

Young Men Who suffer from fearful effects of self-abuse as to aversion to the society of ladies, dependency, loss of energy, failing memory, nervousness, palpitation of the heart, weak back, stunted development, increasing nervous exhaustion and wrecked or lascivious dreams. You may be in the first stage, but are fast approaching the last. Do not let false pride or sham modesty prevent you from obtaining relief now.

Middle-Aged Men. Old men who suffer from premature old age as a result of youthful indiscretions or excess of later years: who are troubled with too frequent evacuations of the bladder, or by finding a milky orropy sediment in the urine, and on account of this unnatural waste and loss of vitality are unfit for business or marriage. You can positively be restored to manly vigor.

Syphilis. We Cure Syphilis, no matter of how long standing.

Inflammation Of prostate and bladder, gleet, etc., instantly relieved and permanently cured.

Varicocele Cured in five days by our special treatment. No detention from your daily work. You take no chances treating with us. Reference: Banks, Newspapers, and the best business and professional men in the city. Established in 1897.

Delays are fatal. Consult us at once. Consultation free to all. Office hours from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Sundays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

DR. PAYTON & CO.,
Opposite Court House, Metropolitan Block,
Rooms 12 and 13, second floor.
LIMA, OHIO.

CLUB

Not on the Losing Side.

But the Profits

Do Not Make a Big Bank Account.

Last Day Was Threatening But Weather Did Not Mar the Races.

Trixie S Had a Surprise in Store for the Backers of Dan T, the Undisputed Favorite in the 2:40 Pace.

It is pleasing to everybody to know that the Lima Driving Park Company has ended its initial meeting with the positive assurance that there will be figures on the right side of the ledger. A volume could be written to account for the falling off in attendance from the first day, but the stockholders are rather inclined to generalize, and feel to a man, that since the break has been made, there is a future to be counted on to more than repay those who have expended time, energy and money in order to give to Lima the reputation which the meeting just closed has accomplished.

There was a frowning aspect yesterday which no doubt kept many people away but the attendance was sufficient to meet the day's expenses and leaving a surplus to go toward meeting every obligation, as well as paying off a portion of what has been expended in putting the grounds in such splendid condition. The one shower of the afternoon was not long enough or hard enough to spoil the racing, and the two events of the afternoon were worked out in three heat form, although those who backed Dan T. as a favorite had their hopes dashed to the ground. The first race on the program was quashed, the 2:30 trot proving to be a dead card, but the other two met the emergency and gave to everybody a run for their money on the last day.

2:40 Pace.

There was a cleaning up in the 2:40 trot with Dan T. selling for \$5 against the field and the risk of two dollars to win one on the heat. Trixie S. was caught in the pool selling but good judgment prevailed in some quarters. It wasn't necessary for a man to be very far up the tree to see what was going, after Dan T. failed to come up to what was demanded from him in the second heat, but there was no questioning the action of the drivers. It was a surprise, especially to those who had played both Dan T. and Success for positive winners in the two races, but the result was only another reminder that there is nothing as uncertain as a horse race.

Kingston, who drove for Curtis, in the 2:40 pace, was never overtaken from the time he put Trixie S. in the lead and all speculation that Dan T. would prolong the heats and win in the end, was based on faulty calculation. It was a straight heat race, with practically no competition although Dan T. looked to be driven hard in the stretch for a heat in the third. Trixie S. came up too fast in the first and could have saved several seconds, but Kingston was driving to win and gave no attention to the field behind him. Following is the summary:

2:40 Pace. Purse \$400.

Trixie S. s. m. G. W. Curtis, Lima, Ohio..... 1 1 1

Dan T. s. g. Ben Dickson, Indianapolis, Ind..... 4 2 2

Crystal G. Bl. m. J. M. Boop, Lima, O..... 2 3 4

Kate Dillard F. R. Straight, Toledo, Ohio..... 5 5 5

Tommy Fenton, b. g. C. E. Price, Findlay, O..... dsf

Time—2:22 1/4, 2:22 1/4, 2:24 1/2

2:16 Trot.

There was nothing to it in the 2:16 trot but Success. The bay gelding was played the favorite and proved good as his backers by winning in straight heats. In fact there was never a moment of dispute. The only excitement was occasioned by the close finish between Ira S. and Pegasus, for second place in the second heat, both coming down, side by side, under the whip with Ira S. a lash to the good. The third and last heat was a procession but Ira S. had second money sewed up, and did not drive out Victor Jr., the only real contestant for second place. The result was as follows:

2:16 Trot. Purse \$400.

Success, b. g. Tom Dickerson, Indianapolis, Ind..... 1 1 1

Ira S. g. g. Strigel Bros, Ryan.

TOOK

Shelter Beneath a Box Car

And a Cripple

For Life Is the Result of His Carelessness.

A Roving Lad Was the Victim of an Accident in the C. H. & D. Yards.

Right Leg Was Crushed and an Operation, Removing It Above the Knee, Was Performed at the City Hospital.

J. E. Grosjean, has concluded a 15 weeks engagement with his attractions at Euclid Beach park, Cleveland, and has returned to his home in this city. His automatic cases were a very popular feature of the various attractions at Euclid Beach, especially the Noah's Ark, which has been exhibited here on a number of occasions. Prior to taking the Cleveland engagement, Mr. Grosjean exhibited his cases in amusement halls of some of the large department stores in Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, New York and Newark, N. J.

Mr. Grosjean dislikes being away from home, and having regained excellent health, he has decided to remain in Lima, and again engage in business, but has not yet decided in what line, having several different ones in view.

California Prune Wafers

Cure liver diseases and all stomach troubles; they act gently but surely, strengthen the bowels and stimulate them to healthy action.

100 Wafers 25 Cents.

For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post-office corner.

SERENADE

Given Lima by Tony Zender's Band From Kenton.

Lima was given a serenade last night and this morning, by Tony Zender and his band, of Kenton. Tony is making trips with his band to all of the towns in this part of the state, boosting a 5 cent cigar he is putting on the market labeled the "T. Z. B."—Tony Zender's Best.

Lou Ward, the popular clarinet player, formerly of Prof. Frey's opera house orchestra in this city, is playing solo clarinet in Zender's band. The organization has 20 members and are all good musicians.

OIL PROPERTY FOR SALE.

Thirty-seven oil wells, 912 acres, 30-barrel production. Address, ALEX. WILSON, Spencerville, Ohio.

LAMPHIER

Ran His Auto Into a Findlay Ditch.

A dispatch from Findlay contains the following concerning a former well known resident of this city, and an employee of the Ohio Oil Co.:

"Charles Lamphier and his wife met with a serious accident last night, while riding in an automobile. The street is torn up at a place where some heating pipes are being laid. Mr. Lamphier failed to see the lights until too close to stop. Mrs. Lamphier and another woman, who was accompanying her, were thrown violently from the machine and alighted in the trench. Fortunately no one was seriously injured.

The ladies of the Spring street Lutheran church will hold a sale of baked goods in the Newson & Bond window Saturday afternoon.

UNIVERSITY EXTENSION LECTURE COURSE TICKETS ON SALE AT THE Y. M. C. A. SIX LECTURES \$1.00.

REV. DAVIS

Gets Busy Uniting the Lives of Lovers.

On Wednesday evening at 7:30, Rev. A. E. Davis united the fortunes of Percy C. Herron and Miss Jennie Priest, both of this city. He is a machinist in the employ of the Lima Machine works and she is a young lady of many good qualities. They had a home already furnished on Forest avenue. Their many friends wish them many happy years of wedded life.

On Thursday evening Rev. A. E. Davis united in marriage, Mr. Albert Joseph and Miss Della F. Hennie, both living about 4 miles north of this city.

THEY ARE HERE.

The Designer for October at Feltz Bros. & Co., first door south of court house.

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An unfortunate accident occurred in the north yards of the C. H. & D. yesterday afternoon, but it was due to the thoughtlessness of the lad who has been rendered a cripple for life, with a possibility yet that his injuries may prove fatal.

As announced in a Times-Democrat bulletin last night, the victim was Emil Kover, a son of John Kover, actor and playwright, who lives at Fernbank, a suburb of Cincinnati. The boy, who is about sixteen years of age, has been seeing something of life on his own hook, and while keeping body and soul together by the peddling of lamp wicks, is not giving any part of his income to the railroad companies. His means of transportation from one city to another has been by way of a convenient freight train, and it was while waiting for a lift that the accident occurred.

When the rain came up shortly after four o'clock, young Kover crept under a box car on the side track for shelter, and while sitting there a cut of cars was made which sent the car beneath which he sat over him. The wheels passed over his right leg, crushing the bones, and making amputation necessary above the knee. The operation was performed at the city hospital by Dr. Collins, the company's surgeon, assisted by Drs. Herman and Rudy.

Engineer Charles Wolf was in charge of the switch engine which caused the injury, but, of course, was unaware that the work he was required to do, was going to result in the possibly fatal injury of one whose presence was unknown to him. The boy was taken to the station and Bennett's ambulance, which responded promptly to the call, conveyed him to the hospital. A report from there this afternoon is a favorable one and the boy is getting along nicely, with an almost positive assurance that his life will be spared.

WANTED—GIRLS TO SHAKE OUT AND FOLD ON MANGLE. APPLY AT ONCE NIAGARA LAUNDRY, 209 EAST HIGH STREET.

THEY ARE HERE.

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VETERANS

Selected Delphos for the Next Annual Reunion.

An Enjoyable Campfire Held in Memorial Hall Last Evening. Officers Elected.

The 12th annual reunion of the One Hundred and Fifty-first regiment, O. V. L., held in the memorial hall yesterday, concluded with a very enjoyable campfire last evening. During the afternoon session, the executive committee reported having selected Delphos as the place for the next annual reunion. The election of officers resulted in the following selections:

President, J. L. B. Leatherman, Harrod; vice president, L. M. Butler, Delphos; secretary, V. Myers, Columbus Grove; treasurer, C. H. Biteman, Westminster; chaplain, A. J. Chapman, South Warsaw.

Last week of vaudeville at McBeth park.

Clown Andrus's trained mule "Texan" breaks the world's kicking record at McBeth park every night this week.

The primary Sunday school class of the Market street Presbyterian church will enjoy a picnic on the lawn of Rev. Thomson, Saturday afternoon.

NEW STYLES FOR FALL.

We are now showing all the favored fashions, designs and patterns in Men's and Children's Fine Clothing for Fall 1903. A multitude of handsome Top Coats and stylish Suits with all the characteristics that appeal to men who wish to be well dressed. The display is unequalled anywhere for newness, exclusiveness, quality and prices. Every garment is true to style and guaranteed to fit correctly. Be sure and see the exhibit.

Top Coats.

A Selection of unmatched values at..... **\$10.00**

Perfect fitting Top Coats, fully worth \$16.50 at..... **\$13.50**

Fall Hats.

We are agents for the well known Stetson Hats and Sigler make. These Hats are made of fine selected fur felt—perfect stock. All the newest blocks, \$1.00 to \$5.00.

Our guarantee goes with every hat. If not satisfactory in every way we will give you a new one.

MEN'S FANCY VESTS.

We are displaying a large line of washable Vests from \$1.50 to \$5.00. We have an unlimited variety of designs which you will not find elsewhere.



Fall Suits.

We want you to see our showing of NEW FALL SUITS. There are more styles than ever—more kinds of materials, a greater variety of new exclusive patterns to select from and the prices are reasonable.

The best suits for the money we have ever shown at.. **\$ 8.50**

Suits in large assortments of styles and patterns at.... **\$10.00**

Why pay others \$18 for a Suit when we show as good for **\$13.50**

Suits in all this season's newest and most swagger effects at **\$20.00**

All the latest novelties in Children's Suits for fall, \$1.00 to \$8.00.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.

Sol. Wiesenenthal

139 North Main Street, Lima, Ohio.

BASE BALL.

Wet Grounds Prevented the Game at St. Louis.

Wet grounds prevented the game between the St. Louis and Cincinnati teams at St. Louis, yesterday afternoon, and the Reds have returned home. The National League results yesterday, were as follows:

Clubs	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	34	49	.677
New York	76	49	.608
Chicago	73	50	.593
Cincinnati	64	57	.529
Brooklyn	61	61	.500
Boston	52	71	.423
Philadelphia	39	78	.333
St. Louis	41	84	.328

WANTED—INDUSTRIOUS GIRLS, TO LEARN THE CIGAR TRADE, GIRLS ARE WELL PAID WHILE LEARNING. INQUIRE AT THE AMERICAN CIGAR CO., MAIN AND ELM STREETS.

ATTENTION CO. C!


All members of Lima City Guards Co. C, 2nd Reg. Inf. will report at armory Friday, September 11, at 7:30 sharp to arrange for Toledo trip.

By order of ALBERT E. GALE, Capt. 2nd Inf. Com'd'g Co.

WINDER

Wins the Leech Cup Contest at Sea Girt, N. J.

According to dispatches from Sea Girt, New Jersey, the Leech Cup match, begun last Monday and concluded yesterday, was won by Corporal Winder, of Bloomdale Ohio, with a total of 94 out of a possible 105. Two hundred and sixty-one expert riflemen entered this competition, which was open to all. The distances were 800, 900 and 1,000 yards, seven shots at each distance. The first prize included the Leech Cup to be held for one year and a gold badge. Winder was a member of the United States team that competed for the Palma trophy at Bisley, England, last July.



THE NEW TAILOR MADE SUITS.

(Third Floor.)

Suit making has reached a high state of perfection. This perfection you will find fully emphasized in this handsome equipment. They are the representative styles from representative makers.

A new suit of all wool flaked homespun, jacket satin lined, tailor stitched, a handsome suit, only **\$18.00.**

A fine quality all wool Venetian Cloth Suit, satin lined jacket, a bargain at **\$12.50.**

Norfolk Walking Suit, made of extra quality pebble cheviot, jacket satin lined, strapped and nicely stitched, at **\$25.00.**

Broadcloth Suits, black satin trimmed, at **\$18.00.**

New Cheviot Suit, made of extra good quality, covert cloth jacket silk taffeta lined, at **\$30.00.**


Prince Albert Suit, made of the manish mixtures, velvet collar and belt, extra long jacket, at **\$25.00.**

Cheviot Walking Suits in black, blue and brown, satin lined jacket, neatly trimmed with braid and cord, at **\$22.50.**



Dress Goods, Cloak and Suit House,

55-57 Public Square



BROKEN

Arm Result of Accident at the Paper Mill.

Wm. Anderson, of east North street, had his right arm broken at the paper mill this morning. He was working at the barn, when a horse, frightened at a passing train, had backed suddenly, catching Mr. Anderson's arm between the wagon bed and stable door. The bone was broken near the shoulder, and the flesh badly bruised. Dr. Vail was called and dressed the injury.

RED MEN.

Of the German Lodge No. 267 are requested to be present at the meeting Sept. 11th, as the delegate from the national meeting will be present to make his report. Social session after meeting.

OIL STATEMENT.

The Buckeye Pipe Line Co. and other lines handling Lima oil.

Acceptances and vouchers	4,500,000.00
Credit balances	11,254,526.95
Total liabilities	15,754,526.95
Oil stocks	19,178,920.25
Sediment and surplus	3,324,423.30
Runs from wells	1,779,163.35
Other receipts	176,935.10
Total receipts	1,956,098.45
Regular deliveries	3,953,446.04
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